

Earth Day

April is a time to celebrate spring and recognize the importance of a healthy environment. Instead of just celebrating Earth Day on April 22, make choices for a healthier environment during the entire month.



CHOICES:

- ✓ Calculate your greenhouse gas emissions at: www.deq.utah.gov/greenhouse
- ✓ Determine your ecological footprint at: www.myfootprint.org/
- ✓ Adopt-A-Waterbody! Learn more at: www.adoptawaterbody.utah.gov
- ✓ Replace incandescent light bulbs with energy efficient fluorescent ones.
- ✓ Increase the amount of insulation in your home to reduce heat loss.
- ✓ Minimize water use by purchasing efficient toilets, faucets, and shower heads.
- ✓ Purchase rechargeable batteries, reducing the amount of trash going into landfills.



Did You Know?

Earth Day was conceived by U.S. Senator Gaylord Nelson in 1969 after he witnessed the environmental devastation to the Santa Barbara coastline after an oil spill. He was so outraged by what he saw that he went back to Washington and passed a bill designating April 22 as a national day to celebrate the earth.

APRIL

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Palm Sunday 1	2	Passover 3	4	5	Good Friday 6	7
Easter 8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Earth Day 22	23	24	25	26	Arbor Day 27	28
29	30					